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COUNCILMEMBER FRYE & MAYOR SANDERS WALK THE SAN DIEGO RIVER

Frye and Sanders walking together and working together to preserve one of San Diego's natural jewels

San Diego, CA- Today City Councilmember Donna Frye and Mayor Jerry Sanders led a one mile walk along the San Diego River.

"This morning we walked a mile along the San Diego River," said Frye, "In the future we could walk over fifty miles along a beautiful river park stretching from the river's headwaters near Julian to the Pacific Ocean."

Mayor Jerry Sanders stated that, "The San Diego River is one of our region's most amazing natural wonders as well as one of its best attributes. Donna is to be congratulated for her selfless service to the river and all it represents to our community."

The San Diego River flows from as far east as the Julian area and west until it empties into the Pacific Ocean. Frye has worked for years to restore and protect the naturally beautiful area in and around the San Diego River.

"Nowhere in California is there a path that could easily connect so many local attractions from Qualcomm Stadium to the shopping centers to the historical and archeological treasures found along the San Diego River," said Frye.

Councilmember Frye is Chair of the San Diego River Conservancy and Mayor Sanders is a member of the Governing Board. The Conservancy was established by an act of the California Legislature to preserve, restore and enhance the San Diego River area. The Conservancy's nine-member Governing Board consists of both state and local representatives, creating a partnership which reflects the diversity and dedication to conserving this highly valued resource of statewide significance.